



The Birth and Death of Margery Hopegood At the Waikato Museum April 7th - 13th 2018.

A Fairfield Rotary Community Project

"She Danced On A Friday" - brings to the stage the birth and death story of Margery Hopegood. Margery's senseless murder captured hearts and minds across the country as it was revealed through news reports, twenty-five years ago. Things like this don't happen here. Written and Performed by Nicola Pauling, the granddaughter of the woman Margery was on her way to see the day she died. This is a Hamilton story - returning for a second season after its 2017 premier.

Sponsorship Opportunities:

All profit from the season of "She Danced On A Friday" will be returned to the community. There will be four subsidised school performances. Accessible public performances and two Rotary events. The charity "Victim Support" is our selected beneficiary.

<u>4 School Performances</u> for these performances the tickets will be subsidised to make them accessible to Waikato Secondary School drama students. After each performance Nicola Pauling (writer and performer) will work with the students.

Sponsorship \$800.00 per show

Your sponsorship of these performances will enable students to attend live theatre and work with an experienced performer and improviser in a post- show workshop. This experience will be able to be used in their studies and assessments (NCEA).

You or your business will be acknowledged as the sponsor of the performance(s), announced and advertised.

You or your business will be acknowledged in the programme. Rotary Bulletin(s) Fairfield Rotary Website and Facebook Rotary District 9930 Website

" She Danced On A Friday"

Sponsor the Directors:

Theatre Director Kerryn Palmer has been the dramaturge on this project and the play is co-directed by Kerryn and Dr Sally Richards. Both Kerryn and Sally live and work in Wellington - this play is a Hamilton story so it needs to be performed in Hamilton, the Museum is an intimate setting adjacent to place where Margery's life ended.

Sponsorship of the Directors \$500.00

You or your business will be acknowledged in the programme as sponsor of the Directors
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You or your business will receive 6 tickets and hospitality to the performance of your choice.

Sponsor the Lighting Operator:

Lighting provides the "Magic" in a theatre experience. Mood and atmosphere will be cleverly created to help tell this poignant story.

Sponsorship of the Lighting Operator \$600.00

This could be an excellent fit for your business.

You or your business will be acknowledged in the programme as sponsor of the Lighting Operator Rotary Bulletin(s)
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You or your business will receive 8 tickets and hospitality to the performance of your choice.

Gala Nights "She Danced On a Friday"

Sponsor this Evening Performance \$1,200.00

Receive 20 Tickets and hospitality for you and your group. You or your business will be acknowledged as the major sponsor of the season. Space will be available for your signage and or product display. Your guests will be welcomed and looked aftermaking this a special evening. This is a wonderful opportunity to thank clients or reward team members - while supporting the Community, Rotary and Victim Support.

You or your business will be acknowledged personally on the evening through announcements and in the programme. Rotary will acknowledge you as a major sponsor in are upcoming public events (Annual Book fair, Mother's Day High Tea and our Race Day).

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